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GIVES STATISTICS ON CZECH CONSTRUCTION AND FARM LABOR

OVER 250,000 IN CONSTRUCTION

A total of 262,267 persons were engaged in construction in February 1950, according to Statisticke Informace (Series XIII, Vol III, No 31. Of these, 88 percent were workers and 12 percent office employees. Men made up 94.2 percent of the total labor and women only 5.8 percent.

Of the total 1,362 plants, there were 131 state plants, 226 communal plants, 36 cooperative plants, and 969 private plants. More than 83 percent of the total labor force was employed in the state plants, 8.5 percent in plants operated by the state and the people's administration, over 4 percent in the communal plunts, about 2.5 percent in private plants, and one percent in cooperative plants.

FARM WORKERS TOP 2 MILLION

The State Statistical Office in Prague and the Slovak Planning Office in Bratislava conducted a census of persons whose sole or main occupation was agriculture on 31 December 1949.

The final results, published in Statisticke Informace (Series V, Vol III, No 11), are as follows:

	Czechoslovakia	Czech Prov	Slovakia
No of agricultural establishments	961,879	554,317	407,562
Area (ha)	8,302,000	4,842,773	3,459,227
Proprietors			
Men	691,487	394,452	297,035
Women	264,662	156,902	107,760

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	Czechoslovakia	Czech Prov	Slovakia
Permanently employed family members			
Men	225,668	108,904	116,564
Women	826,788	465,770	361,018
Administrative and supervisory personnel			
Men	11,646	7,656	3,990
Women	1,661	781	880
Servants			
Men	17,322	13,296	4,026
Women	12,660	10,811	1,849
Permanent wirkers and sharecroppers			
Men	47,456	28,382	19,074
Women	27,535	22,185	5,350
Total men	993,579	552,690	440,889
Total women	1,133,306	656,449	476,857
Grand total	2,126,885	1,209,139	917,746

According to these statistics, the average amount of land per person engaged in agriculture is only 3.9 hectares (4 hectares in the Czeca Provinces and 3.75 hectares in Slovakia).

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